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Salisbury's Advisory Committee for Better Housing and Neighborhood Stabilization to Hold Joint Meeting with Neighborhood Leaders Alliance

Advisory Committee to Present Preliminary Findings Regarding Local Housing Policies

Salisbury, NC_February 21, 2011 – The City of Salisbury's Advisory Committee on Better Housing and Neighborhood Stabilization will hold a joint meeting with the Neighborhood Leaders Alliance on Thursday, February 24 at 5:30 pm. The session will be held at Salisbury City Hall, 217 South Main Street. A report by the Advisory Committee will offer preliminary findings regarding current housing policies. Public comment will be received as part of the forum process.

Mayor Susan Kluttz, speaking on behalf of the Salisbury City Council shares, "We sincerely appreciate the diligent work by the members of this newly-created committee. Their knowledge, research, and guidance will assist our council in providing positive solutions for areas of local housing concern. In addition, we are grateful for the valuable support of our existing community partners. Their views, as well as those of our citizens, are vital to the overall success of this committee. By partnering to create a shared approach to local housing improvements, current efforts will be magnified and our entire community will benefit."

Director of Community Planning Services Joe Morris serves as staff liaison to the committee and shares, "We are very fortunate to have this dedicated group of citizens working together to address the important issues of housing and neighborhoods in our community. It is critical to have the public involved in this process. We strongly encourage Salisbury residents to participate in the upcoming public forum and we look forward to receiving the recommendations of our Advisory Committee."

For more information or questions regarding Salisbury's Advisory Committee for Better Housing and Neighborhood Stabilization, please contact Joe Morris at 704-638-5324 or via email at jmorr@salisburync.gov. The City of Salisbury is an equal opportunity employer with over 180 different job classifications and 400 full time positions. For more information regarding the City of Salisbury and its services and departments, please visit us on the web at www.salisburync.gov. To receive updates regarding local initiatives, meetings, programs, and events, please join the City of Salisbury's Facebook users group at www.salisburync.gov/facebook or follow us on Twitter at http://twitter.com/CitySalisburyNC.

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